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REQUEST FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicants hereby request a One-Month Extension of Time pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), to and including February 28, 1998 in which to respond to the Office Action mailed October 28. 1997. Applicant requests the extension of time in order to maintain copendency while filing a continuation-in-part application on this date.

Please charge our Deposit Account No. 12-0080 in the amount of \$110.00 in payment of the charge for a one-month extension fee for a large entity. A duplicate of this page is enclosed for that purpose. The undersigned also authorizes the charging of any additional fees and crediting of any overpayment associated with this communication to our Deposit Account No. 12-0080.

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